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Mr. F. Moran McConihe
Commissioner
Public Buildings Service
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. McConihe:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of 25 March 1958 and confirm our telephone conversation of 27 March.

I have acquainted Colonel A. C. Welling, the District Engineer Commissioner, with the difficulties which would be encountered if the Central Intelligence Agency attempted to vacate the buildings which are scheduled for demolition in connection with the construction of approaches to the proposed new Potomac River bridge. I have also talked with Mr. John N. Robinson, the District Highway Director, concerning the possibility of scheduling the construction of the approaches so as to permit us to occupy the affected buildings until we are able to move their present occupants into our new building at Langley. Mr. Robinson has assured me that he is most anxious to cooperate, that he is confident that a mutually satisfactory solution to the problem can be worked out without too much difficulty, and that he will contact me in the not too distant future to discuss the matter in greater detail.

Accordingly, it appears that with your cooperation this most expensive and undesirable move can be avoided. It would, therefore, seem to be unnecessary to request that the Bureau of the Budget submit a supplemental estimate to the Congress. However, I will, of course, be glad to meet with you and representatives of the Bureau of the Budget to discuss this matter further at any time you deem appropriate.

Sincerely,

/s/

L. K. White
Deputy Director

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